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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In full and timely response to the Office Action mailed on August 2, 2007, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and allowance of the above-referenced patent application.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 16 of this paper.